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Hi Mike,

I have a quick question regarding the intraperson exemption and the treatment of non-profit corporations that do not have voting securities.

First, I want to confirm that the merger of a subsidiary into its parent is exempt under 802.30 provided that the parent controls the subsidiary. It seems like this example would clearly fit within the 802.30 exemption but I want to confirm as I couldn't find any examples on point.

Second, I want to confirm the control test for a non-profit corporation that does not have voting securities. My understanding is that a non-profit corporation that does not have voting securities would fall under the 801.1(b)(2) control test because, even though the non-profit does not have voting securities, it is incorporated and therefore not treated as an unincorporated entity under 801.1 (b)(1)(ii). However, example #3 under 801.1(b) seems to indicate that a non-profit hospital corporation that does not issue voting securities would fall under the 801.1(b)(1)(ii) control test. Could you please provide some guidance as to which control test(s) apply to a non-profit corporation that does not have voting securities.

Thank you for your assistance,

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